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SUBJECT: CODEL-CHARLES C. DIGGS, JR

REFERENCE: STATE 080697

ADDRESSES AS REQUESTED REFTEL FOLLOW:

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REPORT ON CODEL VISIT TO CONSULATE ORIGINALY SENT 121240Z. MESSAGE APPARENTLY IMPROPERLY ADDRESSED, RESULTING IN NON-RECEIPT BY SECSTATE. FYI MESSAGE FOLLOWS:

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TAGS: OREP (DIGGS, CHARLES, JR.)

SUBJECT: CODEL DIGGS

REFERENCE: STATE 071837

CONGRESSMAN DIGGS AND GENERAL COMSTOCK, COMUSFORAZ, SPENT FIVE HOURS PONTA DELGADA APRIL 11. CONTRARY OUR SUPPOSITION HE WAS NOT INTERESTED IN CONSULATE OPERATION BUT IN LAJES NEGOTIATIONS ABOUT WHICH WE HAVE NO INFORMATION. CONVERSATION THERE AFTER DEALT WITH BENEFITS DERIVED BY PORTUGAL FROM PRESENCE AMERICAN BASE AT LAJES AND POSSIBLE PORTUGESE ATTITUDES TOWARD ACCEPTING CONTINUED PRESENCE WITHOUT ADDITIONAL RENUMERATION. POINT OF VISIT APPEARS TO GATHER INFORMATION SUPPORTING THIS VIEW. OUR POSITION IS THAT BASE DOES NOT HAVE SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON AZORES ECONOMY AND WE ARE DOUBTFUL PORTUGUESE WOULD ACCEPT CONTINUED PRESENCE BASE WITHOUT ADDITIONAL RENUMERATION.

UNQUOTE.

**DANIELS** 

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